

EDWARDS WILL HAVE OFFICE HERE

Architects of Jefferson Will Locate Permanently in Richmond.

Messrs. E. H. Edwards and Sons have decided to have a branch office in this city. They are the architects who are building the Jefferson Hotel, St. Andrew's Church and a number of other important structures now in course of erection in this city. Their central office is in Indianapolis. They will keep it there because of the central location. But the headquarters from which all their work in the eastern part of the United States will be done will hereafter be in Richmond.

This report Mr. Edwards confirmed to a Times representative yesterday. It is not yet determined where they will locate. They are now in the Crenshaw building while architects for the new Jefferson Hotel and other structures in which the Jefferson Company or Miss Grace Arcene are interested. But when they complete this work they will take an office here, and one or more members of the firm will remain here, assisted by a corps of architects.

The Edwards have made and are now making a specialty of church building. They have just drawn plans for four churches, as printed in The Times yesterday morning. A new order has just come to them from Staunton, Va. They are to draw the plans for the new Episcopal Church, of Staunton. This house of worship will have cost, when completed, about \$20,000. The material used will be brick, with stone trimmings.

GENUINE SOLDIERS THERE.

The Klites Band All Enlisted Men With Army Records.

The members of the famous Forty-eighth Highland Band are making their tour of America by authority of His Majesty's Government in Canada, and are all genuine enlisted members of the regiment. Their present tour will extend south to New Orleans, and they return to Canada for regimental duty on April 1st.

Many of the men have unique army records. Bandmaster Slater himself has served through two campaigns and is bayonet champion of Canada, as well as an expert swordsman and crack shot. There are several veterans of the East India, Burmah, and Canadian Northwest campaigns, while one bandman, James Russell, has fought in no less than thirty-nine different battles. Russell bears a remarkable facial resemblance to Lord Roberts, commander-in-chief of the British forces, and, strange to say, he and Lord Roberts began their military life together in the same regiment in India—the one as a private and the other as a lieutenant on the staff. Mr. Russell wears a medal and two bars for his bravery at the siege of Lucknow and the relief of Cawnpore in 1858, and, although now fifty-four years of age, he is as bright, active and well-groomed as the youngest man in the band.

While the giant form of Drum Major Donald MacDonnell will be the cynosure of all eyes at the Klites' afternoon and evening concerts, there will be many to whom the veteran of thirty-nine battles will be even more interesting.

WILL GIVE \$7,000.

Contribution to Be Made Conditionally for Southwest Virginia Institute.

The Southwest Virginia Institute will be the recipient of a gift of \$7,000 from Judge David E. Johnston, of Bluefield, and Mr. H. W. Staley, of Princeton, if certain conditions are met. The contribution will be in money, not old debts, and will be given when the remainder of the \$25,000 debt on the institute is raised, provided this is done in six months. This will leave \$26,000 of the denomination to raise. The Rev. B. Cabell Hening, formerly of this place, but now of Bristol, where the school is located, has a letter in the current issue of the Religious Herald appealing for prompt action.

Mr. T. H. Ellett, of this city, who is working in the interest of the institute, has succeeded in raising \$120 toward the interest note of \$500 due on January 25th. The Rev. and Mrs. Z. C. Taylor, missionaries in Virginia, who are in this country to recover their health, will address a meeting of the Woman's Missionary Circle at the First Baptist Church.

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at 11 o'clock this morning. The occasion will be one of special interest and a full attendance is expected.

Dr. Taylor will remain in this country about a year. When he returns to Brazil, he will leave his three small children here to be educated.

Mrs. Howard M. Hoge, State president of the Virginia W. C. T. U., arrived in the city Tuesday with her husband. That evening, at the residence of Mrs. Liphart, No. 803 East Leigh Street, the several "Y's" of Richmond tendered her a royal reception.

There is danger of a dearth of ministers, according to the current issue of the Religious Herald. The Foreign Mission Board is calling almost pitifully for men. The Synodical Board needs

for important Virginia fields at least eight well-equipped and devoted men. There is little difficulty in finding men for the comfortable pastorate with salaries of \$1,500 to \$2,500, but for such fields as the State Board wishes to cultivate, the number of men is not available.

The Rev. James Taylor Dickinson, D. D., and wife, well-known in this city, will sail for St. Louis, Mo., early in February and return in May.

The Rev. R. J. Adams, D. D., and Mrs. Adams, of Cambridge, Mass., passed through Richmond last week en route for Summerville, S. C., where they will spend a portion of the year. The City Union of the King's Daughters will meet in the Woman's Christian Association building this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Board of Trustees of the Bowling Green Seminary, held Tuesday at noon at Centenary Methodist Church. The purpose of the meeting and the business transacted could not be learned this morning.

VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT.

Torn Transfer Occasion of a Suit—Other Court News.

A verdict was given for the defendant in the Law and Equity Court yesterday afternoon in the suit of Miss Lily M. Allen, against the Traction Company, for \$1,000. Miss Allen was given a transfer at First and Main Streets, that was mutilated. This, the conductor declined to accept, and the lady was forced to get off the car. She sued on the ground that the transfer was given her by a conductor, and it was no fault of hers that it was torn, and because she was forced to get off the car at First and Cary Streets.

Suit was instituted yesterday in the Law and Equity Court by Coates and wife for Louis B. Gillingham against the passenger and Power Company for \$2,000. Mr. Gillingham claims that sum for alleged harsh and discriminatory treatment at the hands of a conductor on a car. He claims that he was in a crowded car and gave his seat to a lady. He stood up in the car, holding to a strap and was asked by the conductor to either move up or stand on the platform. This he refused to do, claiming that he had a right to stand in the car so long as he interfered with no one. He claims that the conductor handled him roughly and thus asks for damages.

In the Chancery Court Thomas N. Carter qualified as administrator for Bernard Peyton, Jr.; R. Carter Scott qualified as administrator, J. B. M. for Thomas G. Peyton; and Pauline P. Whittaker qualified as administratrix of E. A. Whittaker, Jr. and as guardian of J. E. Claude B. Paul and Elizabeth Whittaker; J. Boyd Shannon qualified as administrator of John H. Shannon; Mary W. Woodhouse qualified as executrix of Joseph Flood Woodridge.

STRONG OPPOSITION.

Independent Republicans Keep Office-Seekers Queuing.

"There is no use talking," said a local Republican yesterday morning, "there is an opposition in Washington to the 'machine' in Virginia, which is keeping the office-seekers queuing."

Colonel James Browning, of Tazewell; Colonel Lamb, of Norfolk, and General Rosser are the three in which the opposition is centered, and it seems they have gotten the Independent candidates. United States Marshals Morgan Treat and Brown Allen are in Washington now, Mr. Treat having left Richmond last night to again be on the spot. Their terms expire within the next month, and there is some talk of the opposition to the "machine" getting in some good work.

Mr. Treat, before leaving, spoke confidently of his reappointment. He said if the endorsement of the official of the courts with whom he is associated in his official capacity here will assist him, he is continuing in office. It is said Judge Waddill, of the United States Courts, is supporting Mr. Treat.

MUST HAVE ANNEX.

Treasury Department Says Richmond Office is Too Small.

There is little doubt that the annex to the postoffice building will be erected in reference to the space division. The Treasury Department, in Washington, recognizing the pressing necessity for more room in the office here, has written Postmaster Knight urging that special effort be made to relieve the situation. The letter to Mr. Knight quotes the report of Inspector Kemper, who visited the local office some weeks ago, in reference to the space division, the registry division being on 125,000, and adds that such a cramped condition of affairs should not exist in an office the size and importance of Richmond. Mr. Knight is opposed to the plan suggested by Congressman Lamb, that a store room be rented for the registry division. Mr. Knight wants the appropriation of \$25,000 for the annex, as a temporary relief, and a separate appropriation for a new postoffice building, to take the place

of the present one as soon as possible.

Postmaster Wray T. Knight has been appointed paymaster for all the rural free-delivery carriers in the State. The payment will be made through checks. The appointment is considered recognition on the part of the Postoffice Department of the ability and business methods of the Richmond postmaster.

Assistant Postmaster Grubbs is yet on crutches from the injury to his leg a few weeks ago, but is improving.

Yesterday was pay day at the post-office.

WORK ON ST. ANDREW'S.

Messrs. Smalley & Co. Will Push the Building Rapidly Now.

Messrs. Smalley & Co. resumed work yesterday on the St. Andrew's Church. Material is now at hand, as it will be needed, and it is expected that the building will continue until everything is complete.

This church will be one of the handsomest in the South. This is more particularly of the interior, which will be expensive and elaborately furnished. The stained-glass windows, alone will cost several thousand dollars.

Property Transfers

Richmond: C. G. Eckert to J. R. L. Hart, \$8,000 on east side of Twelfth Street, 150 feet south of M or Turpin Street, \$80. William J. Ready and wife to Thomas H. Duke, 12 feet north of Main Street, 139 1/2 feet north of Main Street, \$3,750. Henry C. Brown to Annie B. Brown, 23 feet on west side of a street 30 feet wide, Duval's addition, \$5.

Mrs. Laura Walton's trustee to T. P. Green, 31 1/2 feet on Brook Avenue, southeast corner Webster Street, \$1,100.

Successor est.

The test made yesterday afternoon on the improved nozzle for fire ladders was most successful. The big truck from the Broad-street house was used. The experiment makes of this piece of fire apparatus a water tower of itself. The device is secured on the rounds of the ladder, and with small ropes attached to the nozzle, it is operated by a man standing on the ground.

To Raise \$10,000

The colored Baptists of Virginia are making special efforts to raise \$10,000 for their annual meeting which will be held in Bedford Baptist Church, Petersburg, next May. By special effort these people raised in Bedford City last May over \$10,000.

Meeting of Dove Lodge. Dove Lodge, No. 51, A. L. E. and A. M., will meet at the Masonic Temple this evening at 7:30 o'clock to pay the late Walter J. Blunt, who was for many years, a member of the lodge.

Mr. E. Eugene Davis has returned from Hampton, where he went to assist in the raising of chiefs in the local Tribe of Red Men.

FINDS WAY TO LIVE LONG

The startling announcement of a Discovery that will surely lengthen life is made by Editor O. H. Downey, of Chubbuck, Ind. "I wish to state," he writes, "that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is the most infallible remedy that I have ever known for Coughs, Colds and Grip. It is invaluable to people with weak lungs. Having this wonderful medicine no one need dread Pneumonia or Consumption. Owens & Minor Drug Company guarantees every 50c and \$1 bottle, and give trial bottles free."

MARDI GRAS, 1902.

New Orleans, La., February 4-11; 1902—Mobile, Ala., February 4-11; 1902—Pensacola, Fla., February 4-11, 1902.

The Southern Railway announces one fare for the round trip in the sale of tickets from all points on its lines to New Orleans, Mobile and Pensacola and return, account of Mardi Gras. Tickets on sale February 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th, with return ticket February 10th, except by depositing tickets with joint agents at New Orleans, Mobile and Pensacola, and upon payment of fifty cents, extension of travel may be had until February 28th, 1902.

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"G. M. CLUB" FOUND PARTY

The "Comus Club" will give a pound party on Friday night, the 17th, at the benefit of a poor widow, who has six little children to provide for and no means of doing so. Any one wishing to help in this good cause, will please send their contributions of provisions, etc., to No. 420 West Market Street, and the members of the "Comus Club" will see that they are safely delivered in the hands of the worthy woman, in whose cause they have interested themselves.

WEATHER BUREAU'S GROWING VALUE

Mr. A. B. Conger, Inspector, Talks of Service and How it is Being Extended.

One of Uncle Sam's most noted weather prophets, Mr. A. B. Conger, a Weather Bureau Inspector and a cousin of Minister Conger, of China, was in Richmond yesterday. According to him, great progress has been made in the matter of the general advancement of the value of the Weather Bureau service, and now for the first time the Bureau is able to reach directly the farmers and rural residents, for whom the service was primarily intended. This is done through the distribution of forecasts in the free rural deliveries.

"There is now," he said, "a weather office in every State and every large city of the Union, and the value of these offices is very great. The service has only been in existence for thirty years, and the saving in that time to the country at large has been enormous. The cost of the entire department of the government is only about \$100,000 annually, and, as showing what we do, we recently through our forecasts, saved the State of Florida an estimated \$800,000 on oranges."

"The scope of the Bureau is very great. For instance, in many parts of the country the shippers of perishables depend entirely upon the weather prediction as to the best times. This is true particularly out West in the matter of the shipment of potatoes and beans, and the value of the service, as shown recently in this city and State, when Mr. Evans warned every one of the flood, is well known. Through the use of the rural free delivery we are now enlarging our work vastly. We are able to deliver directly to the farmers every morning the forecast for that day and for the following day, and the value of this to them is very great. This is an innovation and has proven its worth wherever the delivery system is now in use. With the spreading of this system there will be a spreading of our predictions. Within the last two or three months forty or fifty thousand farmers have been in this way placed directly in touch with the Weather Bureau."

Mr. Conger's duties as Inspector keep him moving all the time, and he is in Richmond in the regular course of his tour. He goes from city to city looking over the workings of the various local offices, suggesting and receiving suggestions. He is very much pleased with the work done here, and is greatly pleased with the city. He will probably remain in Richmond for several days.

AMONG SECRET ORDERS.

Meetings Held or Those Soon to Be Held.

The Past Masters' Association will hold their annual banquet Saturday night at the Masonic Temple. Past Master Martin R. Savage is president and Past Master Isadore Lovenstein is secretary. Election of officers will be held at this meeting.

The Fraternal Mystic Circle will hold an open meeting at Pickett Camp Hall on the evening of January 24th. Addresses are to be made by F. H. Duckworth, of Philadelphia, Supreme Mystic Ruler, and Rev. Herbert M. Hope, Supreme Chaplain. A program of vocal and instrumental music will be provided.

At a regular meeting of Hope Council, No. 2, Jr. O. U. A. M., the following officers were installed for ensuing term: R. H. Ball, chancellor; J. W. Arnall, vice-chancellor; C. E. Chandler, Jr., past chancellor; C. H. Burton, warder; R. E. Brown, Jr., C. C. P. W. financial secretary; H. O. Gates, treasurer; J. W. Smith, conductor; W. H. Gay, inside sentinel; R. C. Dixon, outside sentinel; J. M. Allen, trustee for eighteen months.

At a regular meeting of Union Council, held Tuesday night, last, the following officers were installed by D. G. R. W. E. Garlick:

Regent, J. Rufus Smith; Vice-Regent, Frank J. Butler; Regent, Lee Smith; Orator, J. B. Evans; Chaplain, E. B. Penson; Secretary, P. R. Butler; Collector, Wm. H. Williams; Treasurer, N. K. White; Guide, W. B. Riddick; Warden, J. W. Blinn; Sentry, J. H. Taylor. Trustees: V. L. Smith, O. E. Kelley, W. S. Blankinship. Representative to Grand Council, W. B. Garlick; Alternate, W. P. Woodson.

Fitzhugh Lodge, I. O. O. F., has installed the following officers for ensuing term: Noble Grand, J. H. Engle; Vice-Grand, A. L. Chapin; Secretary, B. G. Garner; Financial Secretary, H. M. Rhinehart; Treasurer, B. H. Herndon; Chaplain, J. P. Stuart; Conductor, R. E. Delaney; Warden, W. A. Pleasant; R. S. to N. G., Calvin Cooke; L. S. to N. G., J. W. Thurman; R. S. to V. G., J. T. Christian; L. S. to V. G., H. C. Howie; R. S. to O. T. Hall; L. S. to A. E. Cohen; L. G., J. J. Beavin; O. G., R. J. Redford, and S. P. G., W. F. Doyle.

Supreme Court Appeals.

Richmond Railway and Electric Company vs. West. Argued by F. W. Chittenden and Miles A. Martin for appellant and E. M. Long and H. R. Pollard for appellee and submitted.

Mathews vs. Glenn and others. Argued by H. C. Rely for appellant and continued to to-day.

The next cases to be called are Smith vs. Pryor Mining and Chemical Company and B. E. Smith vs. Proof and Construction Company vs. Kirby and Richmond Railway and Electric Company vs. H. H. Smith. Nos. 23, 24 and 25. There will be no options handed down to-day.

Criticized Councilmen.

At the meeting of the Central Trades and Labor Council Tuesday night some of the members indulged in criticisms of the Mayor, City Engineer and the Council in reference to the work upon the new city jail building. It was complained that

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"My family all eat Grape-Nuts and are all improved in health. Even my little son can hardly talk calls for Grape-Nuts before she is out of bed in the morning."

"I stand for nothing but what is right and honest, and I am quite willing you should print my name if you choose to publish this letter." Mrs. A. R. Brainerd, Binghamton, N. Y., No. 2 Gold St.

WOMEN SUFFER NEEDLESS MISERY.

FEMALE WEAKNESS IS PELVIC CATARRH.

Peruna Cures Catarrh Wherever Located.

Miss Arabella MacDonald, No. 117 Philip St., Albany, N. Y., writes:

"For the past three years I have been troubled with occasional backaches, splitting headaches and dragging down pains. At such times I could neither eat nor sleep, and was in perfect misery for three or four days."

"Our family physician called



it one thing then another, but as his medicine never did any good, I am sure that he never knew what the trouble was. At last Peruna was suggested to me, and I said that I would try one bottle, and if that did not help me would not take any more."

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ed that the contractor was permitted to employ non-union and cheap labor. A committee was appointed to wait upon the Grounds and Buildings Committee in reference to this matter, to make proper complaints and to report back to the council.

NOT ARRESTED.

A. F. Fitzgerald, the Missing Stamp Clerk, is Still Absent.

The missing stationery clerk of the Southern Railroad, A. F. Fitzgerald, has not been arrested. The detectives are still searching for him, and they believe he will be located and arrested within a short period of time.

It was rumored yesterday that he had offered to give himself up and that he had communicated with friends to that end, but nothing came of the rumor.

FOR SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

Saloon-keepers Will Co-operate With Sunday League.

A meeting will be held shortly in Sanger Hall by a number of Richmond saloon-keepers for the purpose of effecting an organization, which will enter lists in favor of the observance of Sabbath. The proposition is to work in co-operation with the Sunday Observance League in securing the enforcement of the Sunday laws.

The proposed new organization will be composed of the majority of the better class of the liquor men of the city. It will stand for the enforcement of the law—no more. In this respect it will work hand in hand with the Sunday Observance League, if that organiza-

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